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In re Application of: : By the Examiner: Hossain, Tanim M.
Kenneth S. Goss :
Serial No.: 10/628,280 : Group Art Unit: 2445
Filed: July 28, 2003 :

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Transmitted herewith for filing in the above referenced matter are the following items:

1. Response to Election/Restrictions (2pp); and
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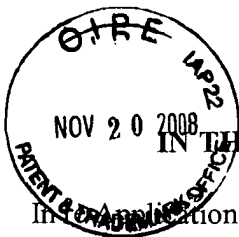
No fee is due. If Applicant is in error, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fees associated with this communication to Galasso & Associates Deposit Account No. 50-3446 under Atty. Docket No. 1580.0200011.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTIONS

In response to the Office Action mailed October 17, 2008, Applicant respectfully submits the following response for consideration.

The Examiner has required an election to one of the following inventions under 35 U.S.C. 121:

Group I: Claims 1-9, 26-34, 18-25, and 43-50, drawn to network computer configuration, classified in class 709, subclass 220.

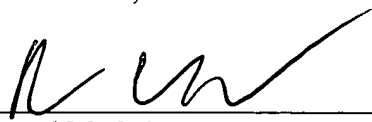
Group II: Claims 10-17 and 35-42, drawn to access controlling, classified in class 709, subclass 229.

Withdrawal of the election requirement is respectfully requested, and Applicant hereby traverses the election requirement; however, in the interest of advancing prosecution of the present application without additional delay, Applicant is entering an election to proceed with Group 1, Claims 1-9, 26-34, 18-25, and 43-50.

In conclusion, Applicant has made an earnest attempt to place this case in condition for allowance. For the foregoing reasons, and for reasons clearly apparent, Applicant respectfully requests full allowance of all pending claims. Should the Examiner wish to discuss this matter by telephone in order to further advance the prosecution of this Application, Applicant invites the Examiner to call the undersigned at the Examiner's convenience.

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